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BEFORE THE  
ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION

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Jaroth, Inc.,  
Application for a Certificate  
of Service Authority to Provide  
Pay Telephone Service  
on an Interexchange Basis

Docket No.

03-0632

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APPLICATION OF  
JAROTH, INC.

Jaroth, Inc. ("Company" or "Applicant") requests authorization to provide pay telephone services between and among market service areas in Illinois and, in support, provides the following information:

1. Applicant is a California Corporation incorporated July 21, 1986. Its principal office is located at:

Jaroth, Inc.  
14472 Wicks Boulevard  
San Leandro, California 94577  
Telephone: 510-347-3673  
Facsimile: 510-347-3687  
Toll-Free: 888-420-6700  
E-mail: [miker@jaroth-pts.com](mailto:miker@jaroth-pts.com)

2. Correspondence or communications pertaining to this application should be addressed to:

Monique Byrnes, Consultant to  
Jaroth, Inc.  
Technologies Management, Inc.  
210 Park Avenue, North  
Winter Park, Florida 32789  
Telephone: 407-740-8575  
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Toll-Free: 888-420-6700  
E-mail: [miker@jaroth-pts.com](mailto:miker@jaroth-pts.com)

3. Copies of PTS' Articles of Incorporation are attached as Exhibit I to this application.

4. The following individuals serve as officers of Jaroth:

Thomas Keane	CEO
Michael Zumbo	President

PTS manages all operations out of its headquarters in San Leandro, California. This centralized organizational structure increases Company control over operations, improves efficiency, and ensures high quality customer service. All principle officers responsible for Illinois operations can be reached at Jaroth, Inc., 14472 Wicks Boulevard, San Leandro, California 94577.

5. As a non-resident corporation, PTS designates the following as its registered agent for the State of Illinois:

CT Corporation System  
c/o CT Corporation  
208 S. La Salle Street  
Chicago, IL 60604

6. Jaroth will provide full-function pay telephone service in the State of Illinois in accordance with the rules and regulations set forth by the Commission. End-users of Jaroth's pay telephone equipment will be able to place sent-paid coin and non-sent paid calls. Jaroth's service will allow access to emergency services (911) and the operator (0-). Jaroth will provide access to interexchange carriers certificated in Illinois via access code dialing.

Before the installation of service in Illinois, Jaroth will have in place Operator Service Agreements with providers who are authorized by the Commission to provide operator services within the State of Illinois.

7. Jaroth proposes to offer its services throughout the State of Illinois.

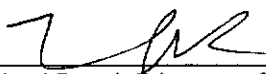
8. A proposed tariff is provided as Exhibit II to this application.

9. Jaroth does not maintain offices in the State of Illinois. The company does not plan to install any plant facilities within the State at this time, but plans to operate as a pay telephone provider. Therefore the granting of a certificate to Jaroth will not adversely affect prices, network design, or financial viability of the principal provider of local exchange telecommunications service.

10. Jaroth possesses the managerial and technical ability to provide service in Illinois. As a pay telephone provider, the Applicant relies on the technical reputation and support of its underlying carrier. Additionally, PTS' in-house management team is well qualified to oversee the operations of a pay telephone provided. Resumes of key personnel are included in Exhibit III to this application.
11. Jaroth possesses sufficient financial resources to provide the proposed services properly and continuously. In support of Jaroth's financial ability to provide the services it proposes, current financial statements are included as Exhibit IV to this application.
12. Pursuant to Section 13-402 of the Illinois Public Utilities Act, Jaroth, Inc. seeks a waiver of those sections of 83 Illinois Administrative Code designed to monitor rate base regulated utilities or those sections not intended for a telecommunications carrier providing only competitive services to the public. Specifically, Jaroth seeks waivers from the following provisions: Parts 220, 240, 250, 705, 710, 720, 725, 730, 735, and 740. The Company proposes to compete in Illinois as a non-dominant carrier without market power. Waiver of these regulations will reduce the economic burden of regulation on PTS and the Commission and is consistent with the Commission's treatment of other competitive telecommunications carriers.
13. Jaroth understands and intends to comply with the requirements of 83 Illinois Administrative Code Chapter 1 (f) Part 771.

**WHEREFORE**, Jaroth, Inc. respectfully requests that the Illinois Commerce Commission grant it a Certificate of Service Authority to provide pay telephone services within the State of Illinois, and other relief as requested herein.

Respectfully submitted this 9 day of September 2003 by:

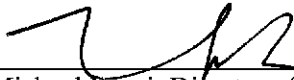
  
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Michael Rossi, Director of Business Development  
Jaroth, Inc.

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Date:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA )

COUNTY ALAMEDA )

I, Michael Rossi, first being duly sworn upon oath depose and say that I am Director of Business Development of Jaroth, Inc., a California corporation; that I have read the above and foregoing petition by me subscribed and know the contents thereof; that said contents are true in substance and in fact, except as to those matters stated upon information and belief, and as to those, I believe same to be true.

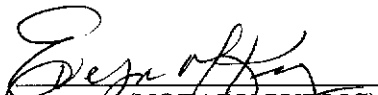


Michael Rossi, Director of Business Development  
Jaroth, Inc.

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Date:

Subscribed and sworn before me this 9th day of September, 2003.

  
(NOTARY PUBLIC)

My Commission expires on:

April 16, 2005

